

company to make a turnpike road from the square in the town of Boonsborough, in Washington county, to Swearingen's ferry, on the Potomac river, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and fourteen, chapter seventy-one, being an order of the day, was taken up for consideration; when,

On motion of Mr Donnelly, the said bill was again laid on the table.

The bill reported by Mr. Buchanan, as Chairman of the Committee on Divorces, entitled, an act for the relief of Elizabeth Martin, of the city of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration, and, on motion, postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. Hood, by a special leave of the House, (the regular progress of business being suspended for the purpose,) submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the Committee on Ways and Means be instructed to enquire into the expediency of having a chimney constructed in the east end of the Chamber of the House of Delegates, for the comfort and accommodation of the members.

Which was twice read; when,

Mr. Grason proposed to amend the same, by striking out "Ways and Means," and inserting in lieu thereof, "Internal Improvement."

The question thereon was put, and determined in the negative.

The question was then put on the adoption of the order proposed.

And determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Jenifer, the House proceeded to consider the bill reported by him on the 29th ultimo, entitled, an act relating to the appointment of Directors on the part of the state, in the several Banks of this state. And in the progress of the second reading thereof,

On motion by Mr. Jenifer, the said bill was amended in its first and sixth sections, by inserting, "and the Bank of Hagerstown," after the words, "and the Farmers' Bank of Maryland and its branches," in the 3d and 4th lines of the 1st and the 2d and 3d lines of the 6th section, in the printed bill.

Also, the blanks in the 1st, 2d, and 5th sections were filled with "one thousand."

And the 1st blank in the 6th section was filled with "Governor," the second blank with "first," and the 3d blank with "June next."